

## BUCKHANNON DRINKS SOME.

Rushing C. O. D. Business Done There  
—Has a Drink Bill of \$250  
a Week.

BUCKHANNON, W. Va., Jan. 1.—About fifty gallons of C. O. D. whiskey was returned to the distillers by the local express office one day last week. This does not signify that the Buckhannon thirst is quenched, but merely that the market was overstocked. About one hundred gallons of whiskey are shipped here every week. This is too much. The Buckhannon booze fighters do not use that amount. About eighty-seven gallons a week is all the trade will stand, and every thirty days part of the shipments are returned. True, many of the drinking people do not use the cheap grade of liquor. As it is, Buckhannon's booze bill is probably \$350 a week, or \$17,500 a year. For a temperance town we believe this is going some. Abler minds than ours have tried to find a remedy for the C. O. D. whiskey. It is an outrage and a disgrace to the country. It has been fully demonstrated that when a man wants liquor he will get it, and that is true in Buckhannon. The liquor drinking here is mostly done on the sly and comparatively few drunken men are seen on the streets.

## IN THE BEST OF HUMOR.

How about your new year resolution?  
"My friend, it's so frail I'm afraid to touch it, for fear it'll break in my hands."—Atlanta Constitution.

"Senator, would you personally accept a railway pass?"  
"No, indeed. My secretary always looks after that."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Did he lose his money?"  
"No; only his reputation."  
"Ah, well that's not so bad. He can buy that back."—Detroit Free Press.

"Did the architect carry out your plans?"  
"Guess he must have. I haven't been able to find any of them about the house."—Cleveland Leader.

"I see that our friend has taken a hand in politics."  
"I am not sure," answered Senator Sorghum, "whether he has taken a hand in it or merely put his foot in it."—Washington Star.

A sweet little maiden named May  
Once strolled in a park o'er the way.  
She met a young man  
Who kissed her and ran,  
And now she goes there ev'ry day.  
—Denver Post.

She—Papa doesn't want us to be married for 10 years yet. But don't look so worried, George, you will still be young 10 years from now.  
"Yes, darling; but I wasn't thinking of myself."—Translated for Tales from "LeRire."

"All my worthy goods shall be yours," he concluded, and hung tremulously on her answer.  
"And you may select my ties yourself," he added, as a clincher.

With a beatific smile she held out her hand for the ring.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The teacher had been telling the class about the rhinoceros family.  
"Now name some things," said she "that it is very dangerous to get near to and that have horns."  
"Motor cars," replied little Willie Jones, promptly.—New Yorker.

Largest Dam in the World.  
Scientific American.]

In the native State of Udaipur in Rajputana, some 30 miles south of the city of Udaipur, is the great Jalsamand, the Rheebar lake. The dam of this lake was built some 200 years ago by the Maharana Jai Singh to rival the beautiful and extensive lake built by his predecessor at Rajnagar, 60 miles further north.

This lake covers an area which, according to careful measurement from topographical maps, is 25 miles. The depth of water at the dam is 90 feet. The average depth of the water is not known, but is, perhaps, about 35 feet.

Taking this average depth and 21 square miles of area, this lake would have a volume 2.34 times as much as the Wachusett reservoir, and holds therefore 153,000,000 gallons.

This lake is a remarkable one in many ways, but is unfortunately in a very inaccessible part of the country, and is therefore not very well known.

The dam is only about 1,000 feet long and is of the style favored by those old chiefs of Rajputana. It consists of two massive and ornamental towers, with some 100 feet apart with the space between filled with masonry and ornamented with carvings.

There is not a single building on the lake, and the only way of reaching it is by a small boat.

## TO DELICATE WOMEN

You will never get well and strong, bright, happy, hearty and free from pain, until you build up your constitution with a nerve refreshing, blood-making tonic, like

Wine of Cardui  
It Makes Pale Cheeks Pink

It is a pure, harmless, medicinal tonic, made from vegetable ingredients, which relieve female pain and distress, such as headache, backache, bowel-ache, dizziness, chills, scanty or profuse menstruation, dragging down pains, etc.

It is a building, strength-making medicine for women, the only medicine that is certain to do you good. Try it.  
Sold by every druggist in \$1.00 bottles.

## WRITE US A LETTER

freely and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling us all your symptoms and troubles. We will send free advice (in plain sealed envelope), how to cure them. Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

## "YOU ARE FRIENDS"

of mine," writes Mrs. F. L. Jones, of Gallatin, Tenn.:  
"For since taking Cardui I have gained 35 lbs., and am in better health than for the past 9 years. I tell my husband that Cardui is worth its weight in gold to all suffering ladies."

## MEN AND WOMEN.

Col. W. H. Michael, who has just been appointed consul general at Calcutta, served in both Army and Navy in the War of the Rebellion with distinction.

Dr. Agnes Valentine Kelley, of Meadville, Pa., who has been teaching in the South, has begun a movement to build 100 school houses in Louisiana and Alabama.

Charlotte Bronte's husband, Rev. Arthur Bell Nichols, is now approaching his ninetieth year. Yet the famous novelist was advised not to marry him because he suffered from rheumatism.

It is asserted that Frank H. Hitchcock, first assistant to the Postmaster general, has worked from 9 A. M. until midnight from three years, his only vacation in this time consisting of two days to vote.

Lord Radstock, although a peer of the realm, is not a lord of Parliament. He is an Irish peer, the title having been conferred on his grandfather, a distinguished admiral, who won a naval victory off the coast of Lagos in 1787.

Tolbert von Watson, who recently enlisted in the regular army at St. Louis, is a cousin of Austria's military attaché at Washington, and his father is an officer in the Austrian army. Tolbert von Watson speaks and writes nine languages.

Ex-Senator Johannes Kopelke, of Crownpoint, Ind., for several years has been making a study of the origin of the alphabet. His theory as to the derivation of the English letters and numerals and their origin has attracted much attention from philologists.

Peter Larson, of Montana, at 55 years of age, is held to be the richest man in the Northwest, next to Senator W. A. Clark. He came here from Denmark at 20, an ordinary peasant lad, empty handed and ignorant of the language, beginning as a dock laborer.

Governor John C. Brady, of Alaska, was once a street waif and later a missionary. He secured a university education by his own efforts, studied law, entered the ministry and went to Alaska 15 years ago as a missionary. He is now serving his ninth year as governor.

When President Loubet retires from office at the expiration of his term he will go to his little farm, at Montclair, where he will spend most of the year, and the short time he will visit Paris he will live in an unpretentious apartment leased for \$1,000 a year.

Col. A. F. Rogers, of Upper Alton, Ill., has recovered, after having spent much time and money, the sword he lost in the battle of Rome, when he was wounded in the Civil war, 43 years ago. He finally found it in the possession of George W. Wood, of Angora, Okla.

John B. Tracey, who was elected mayor of Taunton, Mass., last week by a majority of the votes, was at one time a bootblack. He was industrious and soon succeeded in getting employment with a railroad, and after hard work saved enough money to educate himself at the Boston University.

John B. Tracey, who was elected mayor of Taunton, Mass., last week by a majority of the votes, was at one time a bootblack. He was industrious and soon succeeded in getting employment with a railroad, and after hard work saved enough money to educate himself at the Boston University.

The "Isle of Spice" is under the same management as "Piff Paff Pout."

Try a West Virginian want ad.

WE MAKE NO PRETENSIONS TO  
A MONOPOLY

of choice materials. The market is open to all alike. But we do claim, with all due modesty, that the materials we SELECT and the skilled laborers we employ give us first place in the Merchant Tailoring business in this vicinity.

Your patronage will be highly appreciated.

T. W. HENNEN,  
Merchant  
Tailor,

Second Floor, Masonic Temple.

## Toys

## ... Electrica

Improved, attractive and instructive Street Cars, Trains, &c., are new on sale at

## D. L. MAYERS.

Jacobs Building.

Call and see them.

FIRST WARD  
LIVERY CO.,

located in N. C. Steele's new brick barn in the First ward, is well equipped to furnish you good commercial and pleasure rigs. Cab orders filled day or night.

Con. Phone 354. Call us.  
A Boarding and Feed Stable is also run in connection with our livery. Large, roomy stalls, well lighted and ventilated. If you wish a good home for your horse, try our stable.

E. JEPSEN,  
CHIROPODIST.

428 Main Street.

## MASSAGE

of the head for cure of dandruff; of the face for cure of blackheads; of the body connected with cupping to purify the blood. Electric massage for cure of rheumatism, and local massage for healing up fractures. Surgical attention for the cure of corns, bunions, warts and ingrowing nails.

LADIES SHAMPOOING.  
MANICURING.

Office hours, 9 to 12 A. M., 2 to 7 P. M.

## Plain Sewing

105 Jackson Street.

Consolidated Phone 331.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

## LAWYERS

Howard N. Ogden M. W. Ogden  
OGDEN & OGDEN.  
Attorneys-at-Law.  
331 Hall Block, Main Street. Consulted phone, No. 27.

JOHN L. LEHMAN,  
Lawyer.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

JAS. A. MEREDITH,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

A. O. STANLEY,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

C. H. LEEDS,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

S. B. SEIG,  
Lawyer.  
Room 52, People's Bank Bldg.

A. L. LEHMAN,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

W. S. MEREDITH,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Hall Block.

HARRY SHAW,  
Lawyer.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Haymond Bldg., Jefferson St.

E. M. SHOWALTER,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office in W. A. Fleming Building.

T. N. PARKS,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office Main St., Opposite Court-house.

A. S. FLEMING,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, 202 Main Street.

E. F. HARTLEY,  
Attorney at Law.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, First National Bank Building.

## PHYSICIANS.

T. J. CONAWAY, M. D.  
Physician and Surgeon.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Chronic Diseases a specialty. Office on Locust avenue, between Fifth and Sixth street.

H. R. JOHNSON, M. D.  
Practice Limited to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office, Second Floor, Hall Block.

JOHN R. COOK, M. D.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office at Hospital.

DR. D. L. L. YOST,  
Office 225 Jefferson Street.  
Residence, new building, Fairmont ave.

DR. V. A. SELBY,  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office opposite Court-house.

W. C. & JESSE A. JAMISON.  
Physicians and Surgeons.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.  
Office 306 Main Street.

F. W. HILL, M. D.  
Office hours: Woman's Hospital, Quincy and Jackson streets, 1 to 2, and 5 to 7 P. M.; over Mt. City Drug Store, 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 P. M.

## DENTISTS.

DR. A. R. BADGLEY,  
DENTIST: Vitalized Air Given in Extraction if Desired. Prices Reasonable. All Work Guaranteed.

DR. J. O. MCNEELY,  
DENTIST.  
Main Street,  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.

DR. W. J. BOYDSTON,  
Dental Surgeon.  
Office, 107 Main street. Opposite Postoffice.

DR. L. G. ICE,  
DENTIST.  
Office opposite Court-house.

## OPTICIANS.

A. D. & H. H. HEDGES,  
Jewelry and Opticians.  
229 Water Street.  
Expert Watch and Optical Work. Over 20 years' experience.

"YOU CAN'T BEAT US  
UNLESS YOU CHEAT."

## SKINNER'S TAVERN

At the Depot.  
The largest and handsomest sample rooms in the country. Located in the new \$200,000 Court-house.

B. G. WILLIAMS, Proprietor.  
FAIRMONT, W. Va.

## SAM B. ISEMAN,

Next Door to First National Bank.

## OPERA HOUSE

## RESTAURANT

For Good Cooking.

Everything in Season.

"STRAWS SHOW WHICH WAY  
THE WIND BLOWS."

That times are better and money more plentiful was clearly demonstrated during the Christmas buying in Fairmont this year, which was greater than in any previous year.

This is a plain index to the great prosperity that is sweeping the country. People have money and they have just demonstrated the fact in a small way and very soon they will be reaching out along more pretentious lines. They will begin to buy homes, and properties for profits which are sure to be made in the very near future. More homes of every kind will be required and more manufacturing needed and more now in operation will require more workmen and thus there will be more work and more money for everyone.

are that 1906 will be a business and commercial year. People are in position to get their money's worth for everything they buy.

and do something for the country.

and do something for the country.

and do something for the country.

and do something for the country.

and do something for the country.

and do something for the country.